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## TOKIO CABLES NEW VERSION OF AGREEMENT WITH CHINESE

Negotiations Now Are Practically Completed: Only Minor Details Remaining To Be Cleared Up Before Pact Is Signed

YUAN SHIH-KAI CONCEDES EVERYTHING JAPAN ASKS

Diplomatists Remain Silent But General Understanding at Peking Agrees With More Positive Assurances of Tokio

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PEKING, April 6.—Although there has been no formal announcement of a compact between China and Japan, it is generally believed among the foreign diplomats here that a basis of agreement has been reached and that China, by granting the most important of Japan's demands, has averted all danger of hostilities.

### REPORT CONFIRMED HERE

Direct confirmation from Tokio of the report received by The Advertiser from Petrograd via Paris that China had conceded all the essential demands of Japan was received last night by the Hawaii Shimo, from its Tokio correspondent.

The cable message states that the negotiations at Peking between the special representative of Japan and the Chinese minister of foreign affairs are practically completed, only a few minor particulars requiring clearing up. China has granted all that Japan asked.

The dispatch received on Saturday by The Advertiser stated that the lease to Japan on Port Arthur had been renewed for ninety-nine years, and that all the concessions formerly held by Germany in the Shantung peninsula had been transferred to Japan. These concessions included the use of Tientsin as a naval base, the right to carry on mining operations in Shantung and the right to maintain certain railroad lines running from Tientsin to

## BULGARIA HARRIES SERBS AND GREEKS

Tension Increases in Levant and second War There Seems Almost Certain

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PARIS, April 6.—Serbia's losses in the repulse of Bulgarian irregulars from her territory are reported to have been 125 killed and wounded. After having been driven back across the River Vardar into their own territory, from her territory are reported to have invaded Northern Greece, where they again encountered regular troops and were again expelled.

Rome hears that Bulgaria has agreed to make full reparation to both Greece and Serbia, but the tension is increasing and Serbia and Greece are massing troops on the Bulgarian frontier while Bulgaria is calling reserves to the colors. There has been the greatest bitterness between Bulgaria and her two former allies, since they quarrelled over the division of the spoils of the first Balkan war and Bulgaria, weakened by her ferocious assault on Turkey, was soundly thrashed by Serbia and Greece.

## Officer Kills Wife Who Broke Joffre's Orders Out of Love

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PARIS, April 6.—Captain Herall of the French cavalry is to be tried next Saturday on one of the most extraordinary charges ever brought before a court martial. He killed his wife because, against his repeated instructions and commands, she persisted in violating military orders.

General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, does not permit wives to follow the armies in order to be near their husbands. Madame Herall knew this, but could not be kept away. Recently at Compiègne, her husband, in a frenzy of conflicting emotions, lost his head and shot her.

## CRUISER WHEELING SENT TO VERA CRUZ

Rear-Admiral Caperton Will Join American War Vessels Anchored at Tampico

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
WASHINGTON, April 6.—Orders were issued at the navy department yesterday for the cruiser Wheeling, from the Atlantic squadron, to sail from Port au Prince, Haiti, to Vera Cruz, Mexico, there to relieve the battleship Georgia. The third-class cruiser Chester, now in reserve at the Boston navy yard, is ordered to the Mediterranean, to relieve the cruiser North Carolina, which will return to home waters.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
WASHINGTON, April 6.—The cruiser Wheeling, flying Rear Admiral Caperton's flag, left here yesterday to join the cruisers Detroit and Sacramento at Tampico, and the battleship Georgia remains here, pending the arrival of the cruiser Wheeling, which will relieve her.

## GERMAN OFFICERS TAKEN OUT OF SEA

Were Escaping From British Concentration Camp in Airship When Machine Fell

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LONDON, April 6.—Two German officers and the aviator who was piloting them were fished out of the North Sea today by a patrolling British warship. The official press bureau slurs over what must have been a remarkable story of intrigue and daring with the laconic announcement that the two officers are prisoners of war who escaped at night from a concentration camp at Denbigh, Wales.

How they escaped, who was the aviator, how they procured his services, where they managed to get hold of an aeroplane, whence they took flight—on all these points the government is silent.

## ITALIAN CENSORS CONCEAL ADVANCE AGAINST AUSTRIA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
CHIASSO, Italy, April 5.—The concentration of large bodies of Italian troops on the Austrian frontier continues.

Possant houses on the border are filled with soldiers.

The Italian censors are preventing full information on the serious developments from becoming generally known, even in Italy.

## MUNICIPAL CONSPIRACY CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
INDIANAPOLIS, April 6.—The case of the twenty-seven members of the municipal government of the town of Terre Haute, charged with conspiracy in connection with the elections of last November, which has been on trial here in the federal court for the past several weeks, went to the jury last night. The court adjourned until this morning.

## BRITISH Cruisers Lie Off Newport News, Outside Three-Mile Limit, to Pounce Upon German Warship Prinz Eitel Friedrich Should She Attempt to Escape From Her Refuge



The PRINZ EITEL FRIEDRICH

## LIST OF VESSELS SUNK BY PRINZ EITEL

The vessels sunk by the Prinz Friedrich, with the number of persons removed from each, as announced by Customs Collector Hamilton at Newport News, Virginia, were:  
Russian sailing ship Isabel Brown, crew, thirteen. Sunk on January 27.  
French sailing ship Pierre Loti, crew, twenty-four. Sunk on January 27.  
American sailing ship William P. Frye, crew, thirty-one. Sunk on January 28. Cargo of wheat from Seattle, Washington, to Queenstown, for orders; declared to be contraband by German cruiser.  
French sailing ship Jacobson, crew, twenty-three. Sunk on January 28.  
British steamship Mary Ada Short, crew, twenty-eight. Sunk on February 12.  
British sailing ship Inverness, crew, twenty-three. Sunk on February 12.  
French steamship Florida, crew, seventy-eight; passengers eighty-six. Sunk on February 13.  
British steamship Willerby, crew, twenty-seven. Sunk on February 26.



CAPTAIN THIERICHENS

## MANY LOSSES ARE REPORTED AT SEA

British Battleship Lord Nelson Said to Have Been Beached in the Dardanelles

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LONDON, April 6.—Losses at sea, possible, mythical and actual, were reported today in dispatches from points of widely separate origin.  
At Genoa there is general belief that the Italian steamship Luigi Parodi, which left Baltimore for Genoa last January and has never been sighted since, has been sunk by a German submarine. The crew was exclusively Genoese.

Off the Isle of Wight, the British ship Olive and the Russian bark Hermes, are known to have been torpedoed by a submarine.

Berlin yesterday put out unofficial reports from Athens that the battleship Lord Nelson, 16,500 tons, was beached in the Dardanelles, after the Turkish guns had disabled her. The Admiralty here gives no confirmation. From the same source is transmitted a Turkish official bulletin posted in Constantinople, which asserts the destruction of the Russian vessels Provident, 2000 tons, and Yostachaja, 1500 tons, in the Black Sea. Neither is known to the shipping records.

## SHIPS CANNOT SAIL UNDER HOLLAND FLAG

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
WASHINGTON, April 6.—The government of the Netherlands has formally notified the department of state that no foreign vessel displaying the Dutch colors and pretending Dutch nationality will be allowed to leave any Dutch port or pass through the waters under the jurisdiction of the Netherlands government.

## FORMER PREMIER ILL

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PARIS, April 6.—Charles de Saules de Freycinet, twice premier of the French Republic, is seriously ill.

## CURTIS GUILD DIES AT HOME IN BOSTON

Editor, Soldier and Diplomat Passes Away After Illness of Three Days

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
BOSTON, Massachusetts, April 6.—Curtis Guild, one of the foremost citizens of the commonwealth, died here early today of pneumonia, after an illness of only three days. He was fifty-five years old.

Graduated from Harvard, summa cum laude, in 1881, Curtis Guild entered the office of the Boston Commercial Bulletin, owned by his father, served in every position on the paper from bill collector to editor, and finally became proprietor.

The outbreak of the Spanish war found him a brigadier general of the State militia. After enlistment he became inspector general of the Department of Havana. He was a warm personal friend of Theodore Roosevelt, but though offered many national political appointments, refused them all. In 1902 he was elected lieutenant governor of his own State and at the following election governor. From 1911 to 1913 he was American ambassador at St. Petersburg.

## ONE HUNDRED PERISH IN EASTER BLIZZARD

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
NEW YORK, April 6.—One hundred lives are now known to have been lost at sea in the Easter blizzard that raged from the South Atlantic States to New England. Off Cape Henry, near the mouth of the Delaware, the steam oil tanker Westwego rescued yesterday the crew of the disabled schooner Rob Roy.

## ARBITRATION WILL NOT INSURE PEACE

Former President Taft Proposes Immediate Constructive Treaty Between Belligerents

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
BOSTON, April 6.—William H. Taft, addressing the members of the New England Women's Club last night, said he believed that a constructive peace treaty to conclude the war in Europe could be drawn up and agreed to, even if neither side to the great struggle won decisively, because, however the war resulted, the victor must realize that the permanent peace each claims to be fighting for can only be secured in the fairness and the justice of the terms of settlement.

Mr. Taft stated that he placed little reliance on peace treaties and international guarantees of arbitration as guarantees of peace.

"The existing arbitration treaties which have been signed between the United States and other countries, which provide for the settlement of all questions that may arise between this nation and others, excepting those in which the national honor is at stake, are useless," he said, "except as mutual expressions of good will."

## BRITISH AIR RAIDS AGAINST GERMAN BASE SUCCESSFUL

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PARIS, France, April 6.—According to official French announcement, the result of the British aeroplane raid last week on the German submarine base at Hoboken, in Flanders, was two submarines destroyed and the navy yard badly damaged. The announcement says that forty German workmen were killed and sixty-two wounded.

## GERMAN LINES UNBROKEN

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
BERLIN, Germany, April 5.—The German official bulletin today asserts a reversal for the Russians near Suwalki, in Poland, and the repulse of French and Belgian attacks on the west front, in Flanders.

## Wireless To Japan Before 1916 Comes, Says Tokio Report

(Special Cable to Nippon Jiji.)  
TOKIO, April 6.—Direct wireless communication between Honolulu and Japan will be established before the year is out. From an authentic source it became known today that the necessary funds will be appropriated at the coming session of the Japanese diet, which the Emperor has summoned to assemble May 17 and sit for three weeks.

The plan is to increase the power of the Choshi station on Honshu and install a complete outfit of the most improved pattern.

This work will require several months, and will be taken in hand as soon as the money is available.

## PRINZ EITEL MAY SAIL FROM HAVEN

Indications Are That German Cruiser Plans to Make Dash For Open Sea

(Associated Press by Pacific Commercial Cable.)

NEWPORT NEWS, April 6.—Indications last night were that the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich would either put to sea this morning or intern, with the probabilities leaning to the former.

The time limit of the Prinz Eitel has expired, it is believed, and last night two commercial tugs, under orders, tied up near the commerce destroyer's stern, apparently ready to shift her from her moorings and start her towards the open sea, where British cruisers are watching and waiting for her appearance.

Last night Rear Admiral Frank B. Beatty, U. S. N., commander of the Norfolk navy yard, went aboard the German ship to confer with her commander, Captain Thierichens.

## AMERICAN NOTE ON FRYE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
WASHINGTON, April 6.—The American note to Germany on the sinking of the W. P. Frye by the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich was published today. The note is confined almost entirely to the legal aspects of the Prinz Eitel's action and is couched in polite diplomatic language. It suggests reparation by Germany to the owners. Ambassador Gerard at Berlin has been instructed by the state department to present to the German foreign office a claim for \$225,000 on behalf of the owners.

## NEUTRALITY IS MENACED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
NEW YORK, April 6.—Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port of New York, will present evidence today before the federal grand jury in support of his accusation, published here today, that British cruisers patrolling the Atlantic Coast have violated American neutrality by taking on coal and supplies carried to them at sea by vessels leaving this port. Headquarters of the alleged supply system are said to have been in a downtown hotel.

## BLACKS AND WHITES BATTLE IN CHICAGO

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
CHICAGO, April 6.—Chester Joe Jim Willard, who defeated Jack Johnson yesterday in Havana in a prize fight for the heavyweight championship of the world, brought on a general fight last night between blacks and whites in the "black-and-tan" quarters here. Riot calls for the police were sent in and many arrests were made.

Johnson's sister refused to believe the news.

"It's a fake," she said. "Jack never could have lost unless he wanted to."

## CARRANZA REPORTS VICTORY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LAREDO, Texas, April 6.—General Carranza's junta here has information that in three days' fighting around Tampico, the great oil port, General Villa's forces have lost 1100 killed and 1000 prisoners. The battle for possession of the city continues.

## WILSON SAYS ALLIES MUST LET NEUTRAL SHIPS TRADE

American Reply to Notes of Great Britain and France Outlining Proposed Blockade of Enemies' Ports Is Published

WASHINGTON DECLARED PROPOSITION ILLEGAL

Serious Interruption of Commerce of United States Should Be Avoided and Full Reparation Made For Each Violation

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The text of the American reply to the notes of Great Britain and France in which they outlined their proposed blockade of all German, Austrian and Turkish ports and announced their intention of preventing any trade being carried on with these nations, was made public here and in London and Paris last night.

### Washington Not Agreeable

The American note, addressed to the British foreign secretary, announced that the United States is unable to admit the right claimed in the British order in council, and unable to agree with the claims of the Allies that they are justified in placing an embargo upon all commerce between Germany and the neutral nations.

### Attitude of America

The note reviews the whole situation and goes at length into the legal phases of the matter, concluding with this statement:

"It is the expectation of the United States that the government of Great Britain, having considered the possibilities that might arise through any serious interruption of the trade of the United States under this order in council, will take such steps as are necessary to avoid them, and, if they occur, will be prepared to make full reparation for each violation of the rights of neutrals which may occur."

"If the course pursued by the enemies of Great Britain is tainted with illegality, America does not suppose that His Majesty may wish that the same taint is to be attached to his own actions."

## COTTON MAY BE BANNED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LONDON, April 6.—Many engineers and chemists are urging the British government to place cotton on the list of absolute contraband, because it is so largely used in the manufacture of gun cotton, charges of which are usually placed in the war hands of torpedoes. Their memorial has been referred to the privy council.

## GERMAN BALTIC FLEET IS CUT OFF BY MINES

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LONDON, April 6.—The Copenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail sends word that the German fleet in the Baltic has been cut off from its base by a mine field. A heavy storm, it is reported in Copenhagen, tore the floating mines adrift from their moorings and imperiled the fleet, which is waiting the arrival of mine sweepers before it dares move. Many mines are said to have drifted into neutral waters.

## NEW JOB FOR GOETHALS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
WASHINGTON, April 6.—Major General Goethals, governor of the Canal Zone, is being mentioned here with increasing frequency as President Wilson's probable choice to take charge of the building of the government railway into Alaska, provided for by the last session of congress.